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Someone wants Skye Hunter's son, Tyler, and they're willing to kill to get him. On the run for her life, Skye turns to the only person she believes can help her—a complete stranger with a shared past.

David Bishop thinks Skye is crazy. But when he realizes she has the same strange phenomenon inside her body that he does—the ability to move objects with her mind, David is forced to question his life, his childhood and his father's motives. Can these two lost souls uncover the mystery of their telekinetic powers and save Tyler and themselves in the process?

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Tana says

Shrouded in Illusion by H.D. Thomson

H.D. Thomson writes an absolutely fantastic novel, it's full of suspense/mystery and a bit of romance. Once you start reading Shrouded in Illusion you will have a hard time putting it down. It is what we call a page turner. The story is well written, flows smoothly and is one of the better written books I've read in a while. H.D. Thomson has written a great story and I feel the need to go back and read the other books in this series.

Skye and her son are on the run from some very dangerous people, Skye will do anything to keep Tyler safe. Skye ends up in Las Vegas to search out David Bishop who she believes has the power to help her protect Tyler. A mother will do anything to keep her son safe.

When Skye meets up with David things don't go smoothly as she wishes, but she shares her secrets with him and soon he understands that him and Skye must have some kind of history/past. Besides sharing the same gifts David and Skye also find that there is another type of connection between the two and you can certainly feel the tension between the two of them. All Skye can worry about though is keeping her son safe.

Shrouded in Illusion was easy to read, it held my interest right from the beginning and I had a hard time putting it down. I would recommend Shrouded in Illusion to anyone who is reading this review. H.D. Thomson has written a really great story and I cannot wait to read more from her.

I have rated Shrouded in Illusion 5 star rating as this story does not disappoint in anyway.

Nancy (The Avid Reader) says

I received a free copy of the book from the author for my honest opinion.

Skye Hunter is a mother of a 9 year old son whom someone wants. Skye and her son Tyler are on the run and are hiding out. Someone wants Tyler for his special abilities. Skye took her son and went on the run having to stay in one hotel after another trying to keep her son safe after someone tried to kidnap him and for whatever reason their plan to take him backfired on them. Skye will do whatever it takes to keep her son alive and safe. She loves him more than her own life. As long as Tyler is safe that is all that Skye cares about. Her son is the only reason she fights to survive. Tyler is Skye's life and no man will come between the love that a mother has for her son. Skye meets up with a man by the name of David Bishop who may be the only person that can help her keep Tyler alive. But she may have a hard time convincing David of this fact.

Skye knows that she and David are connected in some way from their past only Skye nor David knows what that connection is. And Skye is having a hard time getting David to believe her. He thinks she is crazy until he starts to question his father and gets the answers that Skye predicted that he would get from his father. His father is very evasive with his answers. I think that he is only trying to protect David. He loves David very much and doesn't want to see anything happen to him. But of course as it always is he doesn't have control of the situation the other guy is calling all the shots.

David and Skye after spending some time together start to have feelings for one another. Skye knows this is not a good thing and she must not let herself fall for David. David feels the same way about Skye and he also thinks that it would be the wrong thing to do; to start having feelings about this woman. He thinks he has been doing a very good job of not letting a woman work her way into his heart. But what he is experiencing with Skye has slipped up on him before he has had the opportunity to put a damper on it. And when Skye has to leave town in a hurry David starts to realize how much she means to him and wonders how he can just let her go like that but let her go he must. Will David and Skye find away to be together? Can they put aside their differences as well as their past so that they can be together?

Shrouded in Illusion is the third book in the Shrouded Series but can be read as a standalone book. Shrouded in Illusion is the first book of the series that I have read and I have had no problem figuring out what is going on. Shrouded in Illusion has a lot of twists and turns that will make you not want to lay it down but life does tend to get in the way at times. Shrouded in Illusion is one of those books that you could definitely read in one setting if life would just not get in the way. The ending is one that will most certainly blow you out of the water and will not see coming. All I am going to say is that you will not ever find two people quite like David and Skye. I don't think that there is hardly any love or person that is as strong as David or Skye not especially David.

Warning: Before starting reading of this book a little advice pick up a whole box of tissue because there are a couple of scenes where you will be needing them. David and Skye will find a place in your heart and you will feel their pain as if you are right there with them and going through everything right along with them. Shrouded In Illusion is one phenomenal read! Get your copy today you will not be displeased. As a matter of fact you will probably be a little upset that you have not read it before now.

Jonel Boyko says

This novel is intense right from the very 1st page. The suspense holds up right to the very end. As a reader you become so immersed in this novel that you can't imagine life outside of it.

Thomson's writing is spot on with this novel. She backs up her solid and intriguing storyline with impeccable writing. She uses words to illustrate what she wants you to see, rather than telling you about it. Everything is laid out in such a manner that you are moving further and further towards a brilliant conclusion. That said, everything happens naturally. Although the romance in this novel is a bit of a whirlwind, nothing is forced. The characters are brought together in a suspenseful encounter that you can't get out of your head.

You become completely attached to the main characters. The characters were well developed in such a natural manner that they seem like people you met and live with. You get to know the characters in such a way that you laugh with them, cry with them, and fear for them. I felt my heart actually break for the characters at one point. It was out of this world.

Thomson merges reality with the supernatural to create this phenomenal novel. It is one that you pick up and can't put down. It was absolutely phenomenal.

Please note that I received this novel free of charge from the author in exchange for an honest review.

Roxanne Kade says

This was a unique and exciting read. From the very start I was thrown right into the action and that's when I was hooked.

So much mystery surrounded Skye Hunter and her son that I had to know more. The further I read the more questions I had. Who was she? What or who was she running from? Why was she so interested in David? How did Peter tie into the whole thing? Did her Ex-husband have anything to do with the danger she was in? What was the evil lizard creature? And so they kept going.

Skye and David's chemistry was undeniable but I loved that she didn't turn into a puddle every time he was near her. Sure, her thoughts contradicted that last statement, but she held her own and made him work for it; for a while anyway. Skye was an amazing, kickass mother. Hell bent on protecting her son, he acted a bit psycho at times but it was great to have such a strong female MC who was also soft and vulnerable. I was riveted when she went to see her ex. That scene was the real turning point in the story when everything fell apart but also came together at the same time. Skye pushed herself to her limits and was left a little broken by the end of it.

I didn't completely trust David. He was far too suspicious and it seemed to be more than just a fear of Skye ruining his career. Even though he couldn't be blamed for the past I had an odd feeling that there was more to his story. Things didn't add up, especially when certain information came to light about his father, who was one of my favorite characters. Gordon was witty and sarcastic, and I loved his upfront way of dealing with things. I had fun reading the scene in the diner when he first met Skye.

Of course, like any great mystery, the more you search for answers, the more you think you know, but not everything is as it seems. Towards the end of the book, the many secrets started to unravel, some shocking and so unexpected, others confirming what I had been thinking.

The only thing I would have liked more of from this story was what really happened to the orphans. Although the truth was uncovered, and it tied most of the story together, I still felt like there were a few holes that were left open.

This story has a paranormal element but I think it will be enjoyed by readers of most genres because it has mystery, romance, drama, action and plenty of suspense.

Lori says

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Exceptional storyteller H.D. Thomson pens a captivating novel of romantic suspense with a quick-paced plot

and a touch of the paranormal in *Shrouded in Illusion* the third novel in the *Shrouded* series.

Skye Hunter and her son, Tyler, are on the run because of their telekinetic powers. Due to a repressed memory, Skye needs to figure out her mysterious past, so she can more effectively protect herself and her son. When Skye contacts with David Bishop, the one person who always shows up in her memories, and explains their connection, the master illusionist, who is also telekinetic, does not want to help. Furthermore, David does not want to figure out what scary things happened to him as a child; it's just too painful. Even though they do not see eye to eye about helping each other, the sexual chemistry between them sizzles, and their bedroom play is electrifying. Skye's single-minded determination to protect her son elicits sympathy. While David struggles with helping Skye, he realizes his father has been lying to him all of his life. And then David determines he doesn't like who he is as a man. Taking action, he becomes a man who cares about someone other than himself and goes after Skye who is in extreme danger, which is amazing to see.

With memorable characters, a complex mystery, and pulse-pounding action, *Shrouded in Illusion* is a novel that will keep you at the edge of your seat right up to the dramatic conclusion.

I received an eBook copy of the book for the purpose of an honest review. I was not compensated for this review, and all conclusions are my own responsibility.

Kayla says

Honestly, I'm not sure where I want to go with this review. I enjoyed the novel for the most part, but thinking back, I'm not sure what I read that drew me in. That sounds harsh but that's not the way I mean it. I mean it in the sense that so many things were happening that it all ran together for me at some point. I don't mean that in a negative way by any means. It was a well-written, very eventful novel. Now I'm rambling. Ack! Okay. Let me see if I can organize my thoughts a little better.

The characters: I enjoyed them all. The only hard part for me was the many different POV swaps. It was hard to keep up with so many POV's AND concentrate on the mystery that needed to be solved AND concentrate on how the lead female character had to keep her son & herself safe from this unknown bad guy.

This is technically the 3rd book in a series; however, it can be read as a standalone. I can't help but wonder if I would've caught on to the mysterious aspect sooner had I already read books 1 & 2?

Now, the mystery... I was so lost... There was soooo much going on and everyone had secrets. I felt like I was running around in circles. The moment I thought someone would finally solve a small mystery, it would be snatched away and I'd end up with more questions. I know that sounds a little negative but again, I don't really mean it that way. I was kept on my toes in a constant state of "Huh? How? Why? What does that mean?"

Now, I have a son. So reading about Tyler being kidnapped or how someone attempted to kidnap him literally tore me into pieces. No, I don't really mean that literally. I mean that figuratively. Any time children are involved in novels where they could potentially be hurt or harmed in some way, I flip out. I have to push myself to read through them because that hits too close to home for me. Ya know?

So the plot... Obviously it moved quickly, even though I felt as thought I was running in circles and

slamming into brick walls here and there. Right from the start, the very first scene nearly had me freaking out on this side of my Ipad because I was worried about Tyler. Scared me death. I was thinking, "holy crap...tell me this isn't going to be happening throughout the book!" There's so many questions... why does Skye have the ability she has, why does David, why did it pass on to Tyler... Who did it? Why? Are there others? Who in the hell is chasing her? What's the deal with her ex? What secrets is David's dad harboring? Question after question after question after question. Okay, you get the point.

Once I finally reached the moment of "OOOOHHHH I GET IT!" it all seems to move at a smoother pace for me. I got to a point where, towards the last 3/4 of the book, I didn't want to put it down. When that happened, all of the angst I felt towards the earlier points in the novel were just pushed aside.

So overall... I have to say that this was a solid 3.5 for me. I liked it but I think others would probably like it more.

Proserpine says

I must admit that this story really took me by surprise. I like stories that are based on paranormal elements, but what I prefer is mostly stories with paranormal characters. The author of Shrouded in Illusion, HD Thomson presents a story that mixes this two element. Although at first I did not believe I would fall into this story, I liked it instantly and in the early chapters.

The despair and anxiety of Skye for her son Tyler was heartbreak. At the beginning of the story, I didn't expect to discover that kind of conspiracy behind the escape of Skye for the protection of her son.

Skye has telekinesis power and she fled with her son to protect him from several threats and enemies. She's also looking for David Bishop who seem to possess the same powers. But David doesn't believe in Skye's fears. Even if they share the same traumatic memories of a traumatic David is still septic toward Skye's reason to approach him. These memories will also lead the reader on a wild and crazy adventure.

I liked the connection and the growing relation between Skye and David even if David act a lot like a jerk!

The relation between David and Gordon (David's father) was sometime hilarious but also really sweet.

Overall, this story was really interesting, but at the end of the story, I found myself asking questions and I got no good answers or no answers at all. I was satisfied with the reason behind David's adoption but the rest was still blurry. I think this might hide a series (no, it is a series!) and a good reason from the author to leave the reader without all the answers.

I was impressed by this story so I recommend it to every paranormal lovers who are looking for something a little bit different than vampires, werewolves, witches and demons!

Maghon Thomas says

This is a crazy ride. It's complicated, and you can't help but be sucked in. You know like the wreck on the side of the road, where you just know it's a terrible scene, and you should respectfully drive away, but you

are still staring, and can't even help it. Yeah, like that. There is a whole lot going on here, and your jaw will drop once you realize all the things that fall into place. Plenty of suspense to you reading just to figure all the mysteries out.

Skye is a little lost, she is trying to find out who she is. As well as make sure her son is protected, and try to find a spot for David in this life. She is one determined woman. She will do anything, and I do mean anything, to protect her child. Even if that child scares me. Tyler is Skye's son, and they are on the run from some very scary people. These people will kill anyone in their way. Her going to David to help made an even more mysterious plot go up several notches, because you never know what David is all about.

There is some paranormal elements to this book, but more romance and mystery. It was definitely a page turner. I'm still not so sure how I feel about David. He's a little more cold than hot and he should have share more and been more forthcoming with info with Skye. But overall, I think it worked out well. I really enjoyed the action and the mystery. I guess I'll have to get my hands on the first few of the series :) 4 SUSPENSEFUL MYSTERIOUS ACTION PACKED PAWS!

Fangs for the Fantasy says

Skye has come to Las Vegas in a desperate quest for answers – answers to fill the gaps in her memories, answers about who she is, where she come from and where she got these odd psychic powers she has.

And answers that may tell her who is targeting her son.

In Vegas she finds David – with the same holes in his memory, the same origins and the same odd, unexplained powers. Together they may be able to find some answers – but the past is catching up with her and her enemies are getting closer.

This book surprised me considerably with its twists. And it's not often that happens. For a long time I thought I knew what was going on – and I was wrong.

I thought I knew what Skye's powers were – and turned out to be very wrong.

I thought I knew why she was on the run – and, again, turned out to be wrong.

I thought I knew her past and the source of her powers and the cause of her flashbacks – and I was wrong.

I didn't even know why one of the characters was chasing her – and all of my guesses were completely and utterly wrong on that score as well.

I'm not usually that wrong – and I hasten to say it's not because the book set out to deliberately mislead me. There was plenty of ways I could have guessed correctly, there was no deliberate bait and switch – but it had left enough up in the air for me to make wrong assumptions and leave the ending a mystery.

The writing was generally well done – lots of hints without dropping huge amounts of information but also without making it feel like the book was being ridiculously or convolutedly cagey. There were never times

when information was withheld in a way that didn't make sense. And the multiple red herrings along the way were perfectly crafted. It was a little long and slow in places, especially when it comes to emotional introspection, but it generally worked, particularly for a mystery with so little leads to go on.

I liked Skye as a character – she is dedicated to her son, but she isn't finding answers just for him, she wants to know for herself as well. She is hurt, she is vulnerable but she's also incredibly strong. I love that her strength isn't based entirely on her special woo-woo or super skills. The core of Skye's strength is her reserve, her willpower, her determination. Her ability to walk into a room and command it with her excellent poise that is intimidating in its strength. I love her determination to live her own life and reject bossy, controlling men:

“She'd got used to being her own boss and in charge of her life. Me, not having some man tell her how to run it. Granted, her life was a mess at the moment , but it was her mess”.

She also shows surprising common sense. There's a classic scene in the book where a complete stranger, possibly an enemy, approaches Skye and tells her that David cannot be trusted and there are dark evil secrets in his father's past. In so many books we'd then be treated to several chapters of Skye keeping dangerous secrets and not trusting David. Skye passes the information on – she's not going to stop trusting an ally who has never been false with her because some random stranger with unknown motives shouted dire and vague warnings.

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Thomas Winship says

Shrouded In Illusion is the third installment in H.D. Thomson's "Shrouded" series. Since I haven't read the first two stories—Shrouded In Darkness and Shrouded In Mystery—I was initially hesitant to dive into Shrouded In Illusion. I've always believed that stepping into a series at a book other than the first was kinda like becoming the third member of a ménage à trois ... when you accept the invite after the other pair has already been partyin' for a while! Nevertheless, with assurances that each "Shrouded" entry easily functions as a standalone novel, I relented.

Shrouded In Illusion introduces readers to Skye and Tyler Hunter, a mother and son duo on the run from an ex-husband/father, shadowy figures from Skye's past, and very real danger in the present. The novel begins with the Hunters caught amidst a convenience store holdup and, as Casey Kasam used to say, "The hits just keep on coming." In no time at all, they're up to their necks in danger galore!

As luck would have it, Skye tracks down a man capable of helping out: David Bishop. David appears to have the same abilities as Skye (and perhaps even some clues to her past), but most importantly, "he had this deep, scratchy baritone voice that made her think of moonless nights and sweaty limbs." LOL that isn't much help in dodging bullets, outwitting the criminal element, or rescuing a kidnapped child, but it sure as hell helps on lonely nights!

Seriously, though, despite initial resistance to anything beyond a night of passion, David really dives in headfirst and gives it his all before long.

What I liked: the book moved along well, conjuring up hints of Mary Higgins Clark and Dean Koontz along the way. PNRs really aren't my thing, but Thomson did a great job of keeping the over-the-top romantic interludes to a minimum. And even when she didn't, I had fun playing devil's advocate. For instance, when I read, "Skye became aware of him as a man—all hard muscle, sinew and testosterone—and to her dismay desire tightened her breasts and curled in the pit of her stomach.," I couldn't help but think of a few things Skye omitted from her list, such as stubbornness, selfishness, cluelessness ... but I guess those things come in time!

What puzzled me: 1) that Skye would engage in a good ol' romp while her son had been kidnapped. 2) That Skye would hesitate for a millisecond, much less have a hard time, when deciding who should be sacrificed ... her son or the man she has known for about six minutes (regardless of how much pleasure he's provided). Both situations diminish Skye (and mothers everywhere, for crying out loud!). Well, perhaps not that much; it is fiction, after all.

Overall, I believe PNR and light sci-fi fans will thoroughly enjoy *Shrouded In Illusion*--in fact, the entire "Shrouded" series!

Naomi says

Shrouded in Illusion is different from the usual paranormal books that I have been reading lately. It had more of a unique feel to it and I think that was why I enjoyed it so much. Instead of being jam packed with paranormal characters, we have people with supernatural powers – telekinesis – trying their best to fit into the world. Even though it is the third book in the series, it is easy to read as a standalone as it has different main characters from the other books in the series. It had everything I love in a fast-paced novel: action, mystery and romance.

Skye wants to do everything that she can to protect her son and has come to Las Vegas to find answers. She believes that she has found someone who may be able to help her as he appears to have some of the same qualities that she does. Skye was a great character and is willing to sacrifice everything for her son. She is determined to unravel all the secrets that affect her and her son.

David has lived a busy life with his magical show in Vegas. When Skye catches his eye he is determined to get to know her. Even knowing that she has a son doesn't hinder him from wanting her. He is a good guy, but not the usual hero type person. He is honourable, however, and will try to protect Skye and her son as best as he can.

I enjoyed how these characters came together – mostly planned by Skye – but the more time they spent together, the more secrets from their pasts were revealed. The chemistry between Skye and David grew gradually and before they knew it they were relying on one another. H.D. Thomson has a writing style that is easy to read and you are quickly drawn into the plot. The mystery aspect throughout the story kept me on the edge of my seat and I was flicking through the pages to see what was going to happen next. It was a fantastic read and I would like to read the first two books in the series one day.

I received a copy of this book from the Author in exchange for an honest review.

Lissette says

For as long as she can remember, Skye Hunter has been a little different. It's not that she wants to be, she doesn't. It's just that she doesn't have a choice in the matter itself. When it becomes apparent that her nine-year-old son also shares her unique powers, she soon realizes that she'll need to do everything possible to keep the boy safe.

There have been a good many attempts on his life already, and she refuses to allow anything else to happen to him. Granted, Tyler isn't quite happy about the fact that they keep having to move around, but it's for his own good. She will not allow those who seek to take him from her to lay another hand on him. Not now. Not ever.

When her sessions with her therapist reveal a sliver of her past she never knew was there, Skye soon realizes that there's more to the situation than she ever knew. There's something about her past that someone wants to keep hidden. So much so, that they'll do anything to achieve that fact, including silencing her and her beloved son for good.

Refusing to give her attacker the upper hand, Skye turns to the one person she's not sure she should trust. David Bishop is a part of her past, even though she doesn't quite understand how that is possible. He's her only link to discovering what her mind has blocked out for so long. Unfortunately, he's not that forthcoming. In fact, he's downright hostile. Never-the-less, she's determined to set all wrongs to right, even if he refuses to lend her the helping hand she so clearly needs from the get-go.

Action-packed from the very beginning, *Shrouded In Illusion* is one of those books that captures the reader's interest from the get-go, and keeps it glued to every page from start to finish. H. D.'s easy-going writing style allows the reader to immerse him/herself in the storyline, never once losing place or pace as we seek to discover what happens next to Skye, David, and her beloved son, Tyler. Heck, even David's father earned a place in my own heart. This is definitely one of those books I'll be reading again. It's a great addition to the *Shrouded* series, and I can't wait to see what comes next for this wonderful series.

Silvia says

This review was originally posted on my blog, Darkest Sins.

A very fast-paced book with lots of mystery in it that drags the reader into the story from the very first pages. "*Shrouded In Illusion*" is the third book in a series but it can totally be read as a stand-alone since the plot is centred around different characters.

Skye is a strong, independent woman who will fight anything and everyone for the safety of her nine-years-old son, Tyler. While reading I put myself in Skye's shoes and I started worrying for her little man like he was mine, so the anxiety grew stronger and stronger in me, especially after an event that I can only imagine hard to digest (if that is even possible) for a mother. Thank God for David who kept me from sighing, just with anxiety at least. I enjoyed the crescendo of his feelings and the fact he's not ready to jump into 'bizarre situations' without hesitation, but I may not have enjoyed so much all David/Skye moments together. Perhaps because in a certain situation I wouldn't have thought about a particular 'distraction' at all... But I do think those two are a good match.

I wish there would have been the possibility to have more answers about the powers and the whys around them, but overall it was a good read that I'd recommend especially to those who like a thriller with paranormal elements and quite unexpected twists.

Malinda says

Skye Hunter has a secret, but she doesn't know why. David Blaine is a magician in Las Vegas who potentially holds the key to who she is, and why she can do what she does. Oh, and throw in a very gifted, talented, little boy, an ex-hubbie with a drug problem, an ex-cop out for revenge, and a psychopathic "doctor" who likes to experiment on children with paranormal gifts, and you have *Shrouded in Illusion*. Like all reviews, I refuse to give spoiler alerts, and this one is no different. With enough action, suspense, thrills, a little romance, and a few well-placed plot twists, this book is a very good read. There isn't much I can say about it that won't give away what happens in the book, so this review is very short, shorter than my usual reviews. What I will say, though is, while this is much shorter than usual, that does NOT in any way mean this book is not worth the time it takes to read it. I HIGHLY recommend *Shrouded in Illusion* to any age group over, say 16, because there is a bit of sex in it. On my usual 5 star rating, I give it a 4.5.

Disclaimer

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Kristen says

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REVIEW:

I'm not one to jump into a series without reading the first few books as I always feel like I'm missing something important. Luckily this storyline was easy to get into; I was able to connect to the characters in their suspenseful situation and well-crafted plot. Thomson writing will hit the readers emotionally with the mother son bond, which shows that a mother will do anything to keep her son safe.

Shrouded in Illusion follows Skye Hunter and her son Tyler, who are on the run from people who want her him. She turns to a man named David Bishop for help, who has the same unique ability as her. David is a Vegas illusionist and is immediately drawn to Skye; neither can deny the connection they have. Skye with the help of David will stop at nothing to keep her son safe.

Skye is a strong woman and a power mom; she has sacrificed a lot to keep going on the run. In the beginning of the book the readers are dealt with a powerful scene where Skye is put in a dangerous situation while her son watches on. She'll do anything to keep him away from the danger while she fights it. She is willing to do anything to discover the truth that has been affecting her and her son. Dangers seem to be around every corner.

David is a great character that may take a little bit to warm up too. He's a member of the Society of American Magicians and has won many awards during his career. When David and Skye first interact while playing roulette together, there is no denying that these two were meant to meet. Thomson created an intense scene with a lot of spark from both characters point of view. I really enjoyed the way Thomson details each page with a slight suspense and mystery, I always felt like something was going to happen after every turn of the page.

Overall I enjoyed the mystery and the superhero abilities that were created to be intriguing and not comic bookish. The readers will enjoy slowly learning about the characters, personal lives such as, David's father who has some secrets and Skye's ex. The ending had me holding my breath and squeezing my kindle, I had no idea what was going to happen. In the end I liked the ease of how Thomson united David and Skye, there was no force just a gradual bond that grew into trust. I felt there was never a dull moment and really can't wait to read the other stories in this series. Be sure to check out *Shrouded in Mystery* and *Shrouded in Darkness* because I know I will be!

RECOMMENDATION:

This is an adult novel with minor sexual content but this is full of suspense and paranormal abilities that will hook you from the start. Fans of *Wide Open* by Deborah Coates and *Altered* by Jennifer Rush will enjoy *Shrouded in Illusion* by H.D. Thomson.
